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Ye FANG *et al.* ) Art Unit: 1641  
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Membrane Microarrays )

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**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

In response to the September 20, 2005 Office Action, Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to reconsider the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.